

News Release

DeSoto & Boyer Chute National Wildlife Refuges Visitor Services

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Bird Feeding Program at DeSoto National Wildlife Refuge Sunday, December 9 at 1:30 p.m.

Missouri Valley, Iowa - Head out to DeSoto National Wildlife Refuge this weekend to learn about bird feeding and get tips on how to successfully attract birds to your yard. On Sunday, December 9, Refuge Ranger Barb will share bird feeding tips. Meet at the DeSoto Visitor Center at 1:30 p.m.

An entrance permit is required for all vehicles. The daily entrance fee for private vehicles is \$3.00. Permits may be obtained at the pay stations near the entrances or at the Visitor Center. The charge for commercial vans and buses is \$20, or \$30 if 21 or more people are aboard. Annual permits, including the \$15 DeSoto Refuge Pass, can be obtained at the visitor center.

DeSoto & Boyer Chute National Wildlife Refuges are located north of Omaha, Nebraska along on U.S. Highway 30 between Missouri Valley, Iowa and along U.S. Highway 75 near Ft. Calhoun, Nebraska. For more information contact 712/388-4800 or email the refuge at desoto@fws.gov. Check our websites, www.fws.gov/refuge/desoto/ or www.fws.gov/refuge/boyerchute/, for refuge updates. Like us on Facebook - search for DeSoto and Boyer Chute National Wildlife Refuges.

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